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AMENDMENT WITH REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION

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Sir:

This is in response to the May 2, 2007 Office Action setting a three-month period for reply. This paper is being filed with a Request for Continued Examination that contains a Request for Extension of Time. Accordingly, it is believed that no additional fees are required for entry of this paper. However, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge \$1080.00 in payment of the required fee, as well as any additionally required fee, or credit any overpayment in fees, to Deposit Account No. 50-0320.